

Winter Weather Briefing

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For South Central Indiana and Central Kentucky

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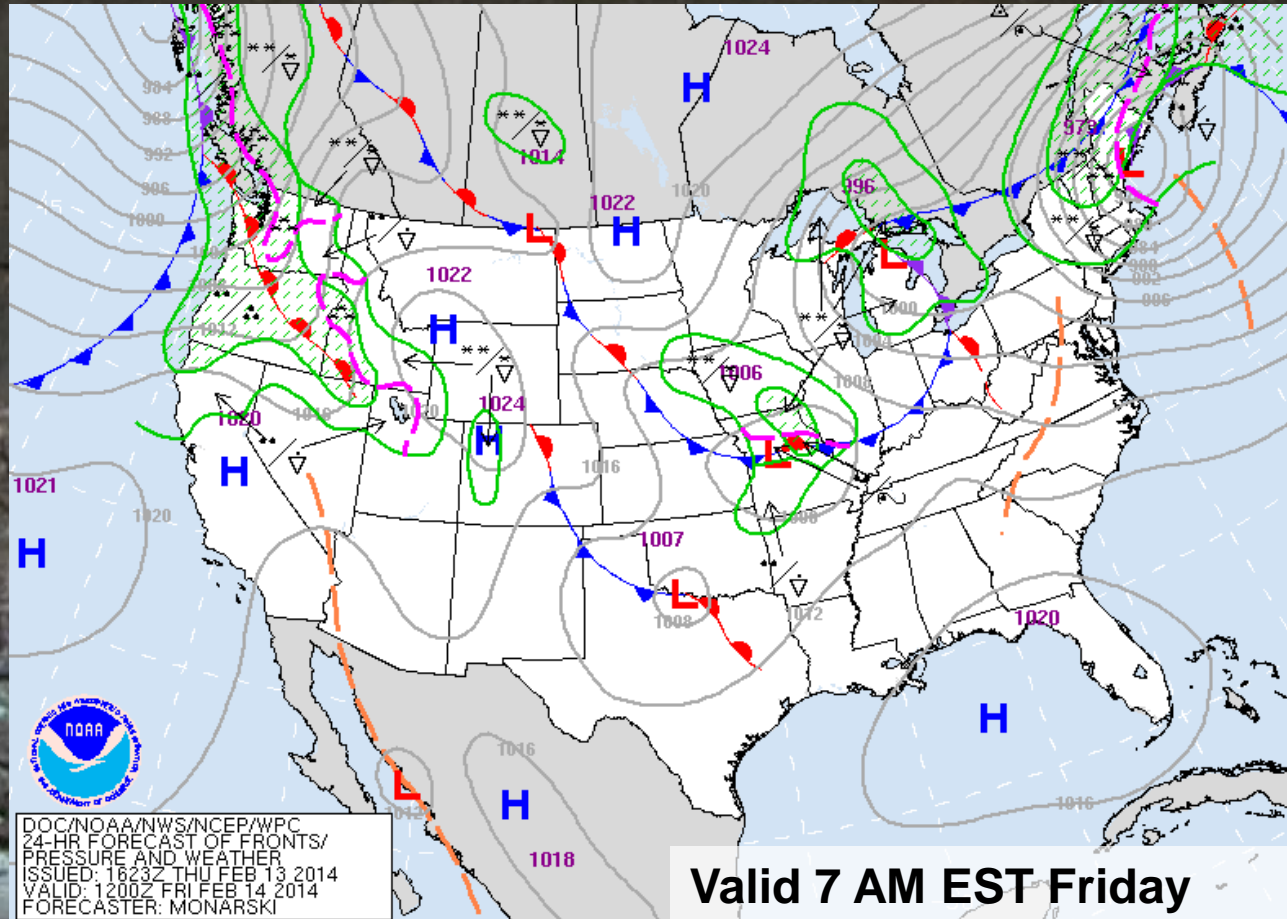


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Overview



- A fast moving disturbance will approach the region from the northwest late this morning.
- A wintry mix of precipitation will develop towards noon across southern Indiana and early afternoon along and north of Interstate 64. Initial temperatures in the lower to mid 30s will fall once precip. starts.
- Cold rain is likely by early afternoon across southern KY.

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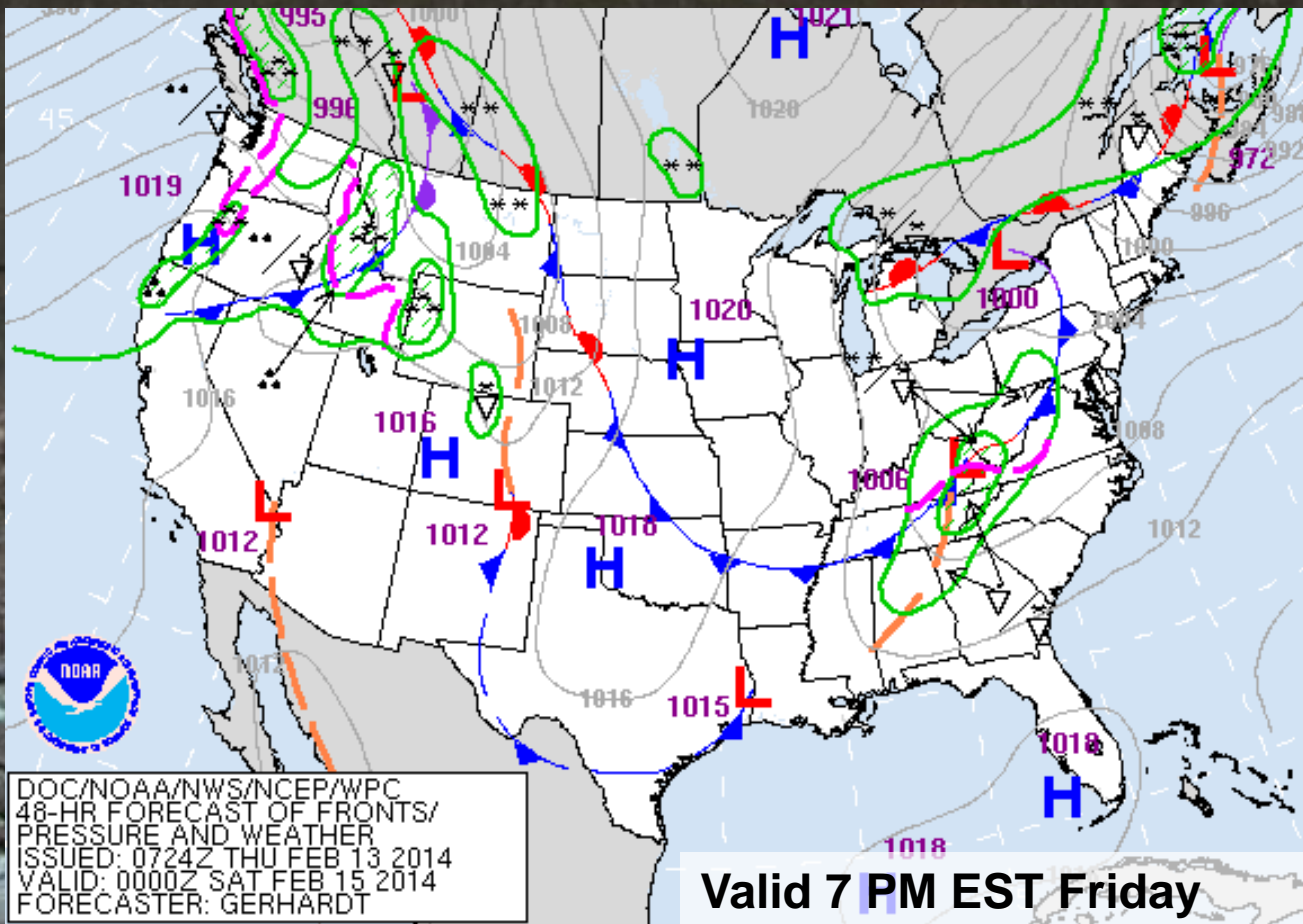
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Overview



- Wintry mix will quickly change over to snow by mid-afternoon across southern Indiana & northern Kentucky.
- Colder air will infiltrate southern Kentucky by evening changing the rain over to snow.
- Snow accumulations are likely across southern Indiana...and northern and east central Kentucky by early Saturday.

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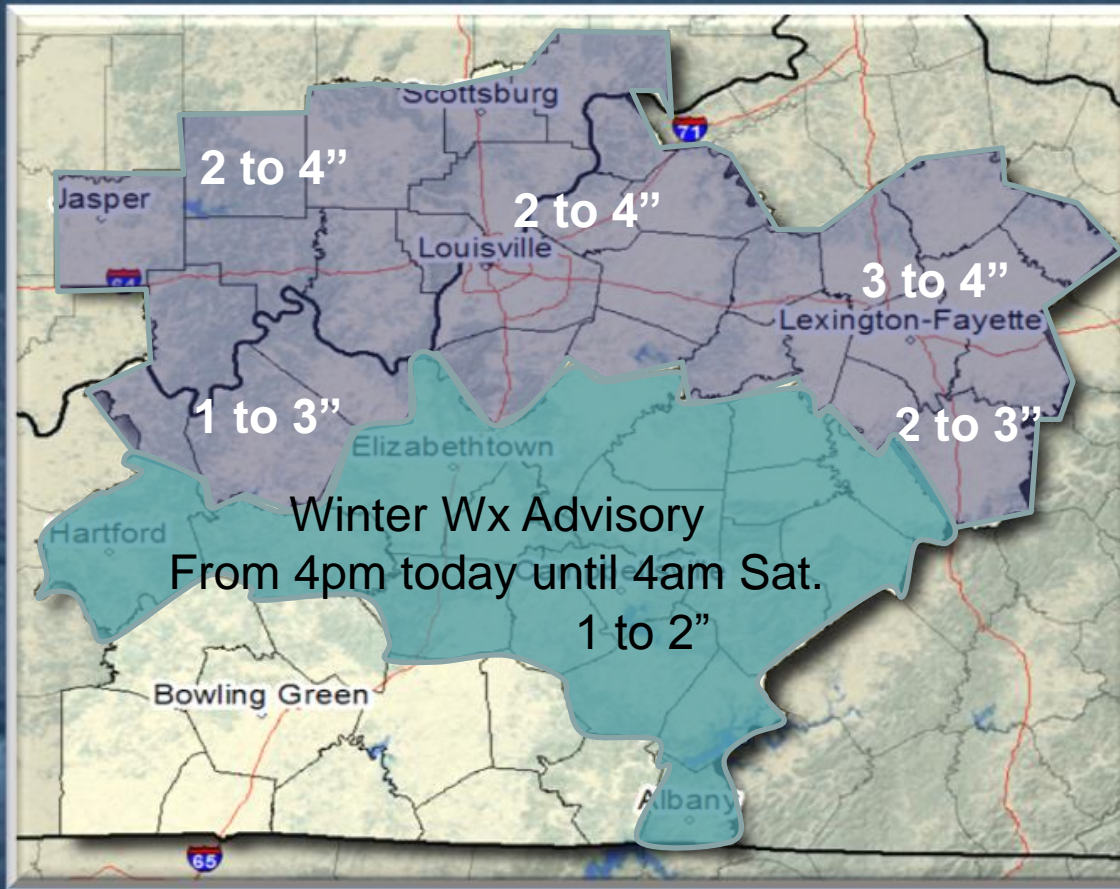


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Accumulations



Winter Weather Advisory In Effect 12 noon until 4 am Sat



- Main accumulation will occur *this afternoon and tonight.*
- Snow amounts of 3-4 inches are likely in the Bluegrass region of KY. 1-4 inches are likely across southern Indiana and portions of north-central Kentucky. One to 2 inches are likely across central Ky.
- Snow may be heavy at times...restricting visibilities.
- *Hazardous travel conditions are LIKELY for this afternoon's commute.*

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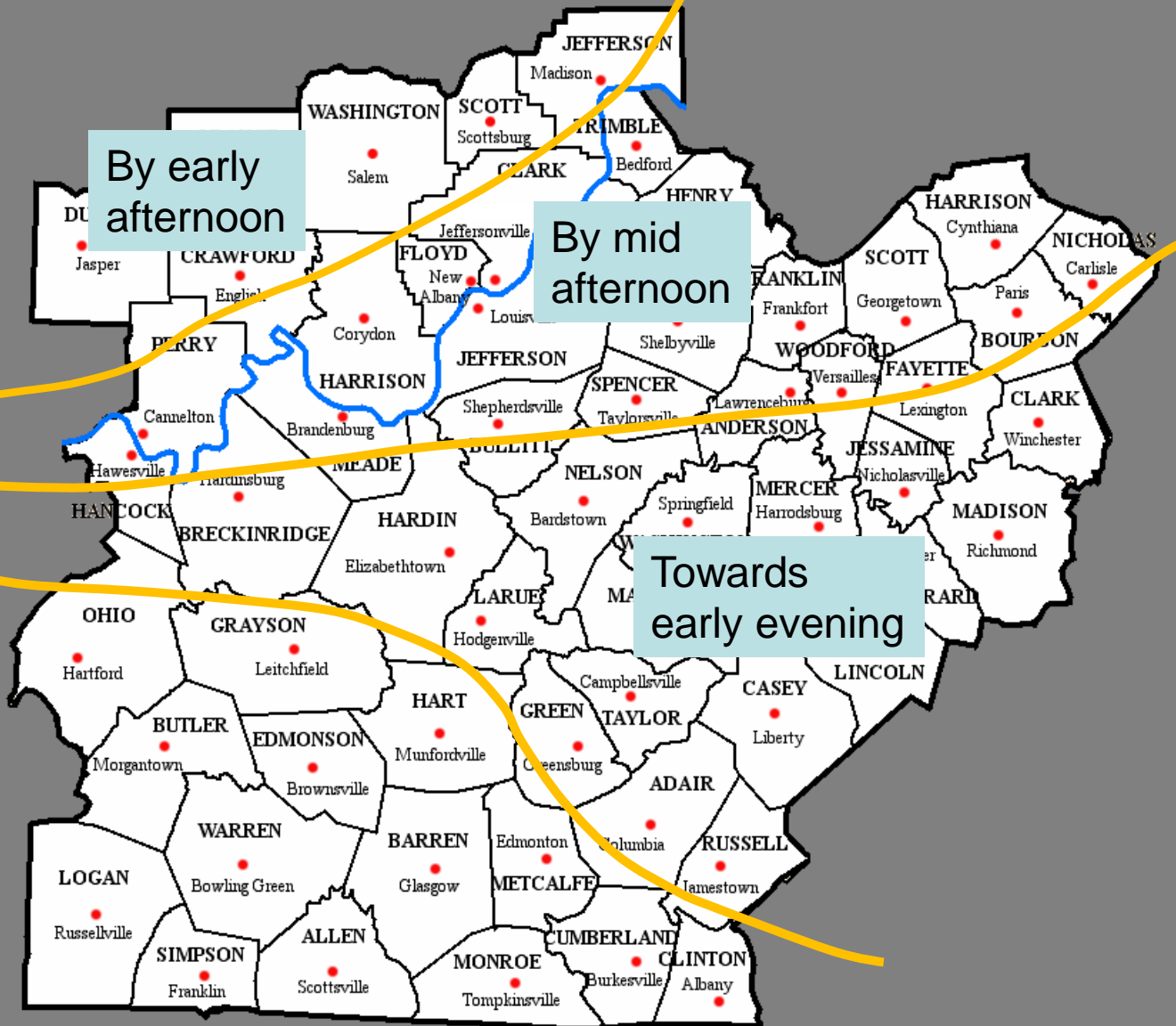


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Timing for snow onset





Expected Impacts

Timing: **Snow** will develop by noon across southwestern Indiana and by mid afternoon across north central Kentucky. Rain will change to snow by mid evening across central and east central Kentucky. The heaviest snow will fall from mid afternoon to mid evening with a diminishing trend after midnight.

Road Impacts: Snow is expected to accumulate on roadways by mid afternoon as temperatures fall into the lower 30s across Indiana and northern Kentucky. This will result in negative travel impacts for this afternoon's commute in the metro areas of Louisville & Lexington. Negative travel impacts will become more likely across southern Kentucky this evening. Travel conditions are expected to remain hazardous overnight through Saturday morning.

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Stay Weather Aware!



- The heaviest snow will fall generally from 3PM EST this afternoon through 10 PM EST this evening. Snow may become heavy for a period late this afternoon...significantly reducing visibilities. This snow will really affect this afternoon's commute home from work and school in southern Indiana and northern Kentucky.
- Allow yourself flexibility with your travel plans for this afternoon and evening. Allow yourself *plenty of time* to reach your destination.



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